Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554 MAY 101

In the matter of

MM Docket No. 99-78
File No. RM-9487

Amendment of the FM Table of Allotments to Add Channels 221A and 283A at Blackduck, Minnesota

TO: Magalie Roman Salas, Secretary

for direction to

John A. Karousos, Chief

Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division

COMMENTS OF COMMUNITY RELIGIOUS BROADCASTERS

- 1. Community Religious Broadcasters ("CRB") hereby submits its Comments in response to the Notice of Proposed Rule Making ("NPRM"), DA 99-535, released March 19, 1999 in the abovecaptioned proceeding. The purpose of these Comments is to restate (a) CRB's support for the proposed allotments and (b) its intention to utilize the proposed allotments.
- 2. CRB continues to believe that allotment of Channels 221A and 283A to Blackduck, Minnesota would be in the public interest, and CRB hereby specifically restates its intentions (a) to file applications for construction permits for new stations on those channels if the allotments are made, and (b) to construct and commence operation of such stations as promptly as possible if either or both of its applications is granted.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated, Community Religious

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Broadcasters supports the proposed allotment of Channels 221A and 283A to Blackduck, Minnesota as set forth in the NPRM in the above-captioned proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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